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Choice Dahlias



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Dahlias of Supreme Merit

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AMARILLO GRANDE, Dec. —Large flower. Color, light yellow. Broad petals. Has strong, erect stems. A good grower.....	\$1.50
ALICE GREEN —Orange	\$1.00
ALTAMONT, Dec. —Large, full flowers with long, slightly curved petals. Stems are long and slender, but strong. Flowers are good keepers. Color, rose pink, deepening to Amer- ican Beauty rose at centre of the flower.....	\$2.00
ARBUTUS, Dec. —Delicate pink and white. Good stems. Wide petaled. Good foliage. Wonderful bloomer.....	\$2.50
ARISTOCRAT —Bluish Lavender and White ..	\$2.00
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BETTY IVINS —Rich Salmon.	\$3.00
BUENO, Dec. —Copper-gold tinted with pink, yellow centre. Stiff stems. Good keeper.	\$1.50
BOSTON'S BEAUTY —Pale Mauve, Shading to White Center.....	\$1.00
BOHEMIAN GIRL —Yellow, Peach, Red.....	\$1.50
CAL. COOLIDGE, Jr. —Rose, Pink, Edged Gold	\$1.50
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C. G. WARE —Violet Rose. Extra Good.	\$1.00
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CHAS. STRATTON, Dec. —Color, pale gold, shaded and tipped with rose red. Fine stems. Good bloomer.75

CHEMAR'S PURITY, Dec. —Perfect white. Resembles Jersey's Beauty in everything but color. Excellent center. Stems extra long and stiff. At first color is ivory, changing to pure white when fully opened.....	\$2.00
CHEMAR'S 2406, Dec. —Big red. Very large flower. Stiff stems. Color, Ruby Fuchsia with bright, velvety sheen. Never shows an open center. Blooms last several days when cut. ...	\$4.00
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CITY OF TRENTON —Tangerene and strawberry red.....	\$3.00
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COHASSET SUPREME —Lavender pink.	\$1.00
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ELLINOR VANDEVEER, Dec. —Large blooms. Color, glowing, satin, rose pink. Long, stiff stems. Very good grower.....	.75
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FIREFLY —Fiery orange, showy.50
FLAME LICK —Bright red.....	\$1.50
FLAMING METEOR —Orange scarlet.....	.75
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F. T. D. —Tyrian Rose, Extra Good Cut Flower	\$2.50
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GLADYS ROLANDS —Lavender and red.....	.75

GLORY OF MONMOUTH —Evsine pink.	\$2.50
GOLDEN DREAM —Yellow with gold sheen.	\$2.50
GOLDEN FLEECE, Dec. —Creamy golden yellow, with a satiny sheen, tipped white, giving it a silvery frosted appearance. Good stems.	\$1.00
GOLDEN SUNSET —Deep yellow.	\$2.00
GRACE SHERMAN —Cream and shell pink.	\$1.50
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GRIFFIN —Pinard yellow.	\$2.50
GRANADA —Buttercup yellow.	.75
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HARRY MAYER —Large silvery pink.	\$2.50
H. T. ELITE —Pure white; very good.	\$1.50
ITALIAN SUNSET —Cream and yellow, shading to mauve pink, good stems.	\$2.00
JANE COWL, Dec. —Color, warm buff and old gold, blending deeper toward the perfect center. Stems of unusual strength. Twisted Petals. Leaves of a leathery texture.	Net \$4.00
JERSEY IDEAL —This is a deep lavender-pink decorative. Flowers are held on an ideal stem, face up, with back petals falling down, making a very deep flower. Vigorous grower and free bloomer.	\$1.00
JERSEY'S CAPRICE, Dec. —Color hard to describe, being a mixture of buff, orange and gold. Large flowers and of good form. The stems are rigid, holding the flowers erect.	\$1.75
JERSEY'S EMPRESS, Dec. —Color, antracene violet. Petals are narrow and wavy. Stems, somewhat fleshy, hold stem well up.	\$1.00
JIM GEORGE —Velvety Maroon.	\$1.50



Decorative Dahlias—Jersey's Beacon

JERSEY'S BEACON, Dec.—Color, bright scarlet with buff reflex, giving two-toned effect. Free and early bloomer. Sturdy stems. \$1.00

JERSEY JEWEL, Dec.—Color is a soft mellow pink. Flowers are large and long-petaled. Stems are perfect in every way. The foliage is inclined to be soft and should be kept sprayed to keep down the ravages of the leaf hopper. One of the finest exhibition dahlias.75

JERSEY'S MAMMOTH, Dec.—Color, rich golden mahogany. Large flowers. This variety has won first prizes at many of the shows for the largest flower. If you want a large dahlia get this one.75



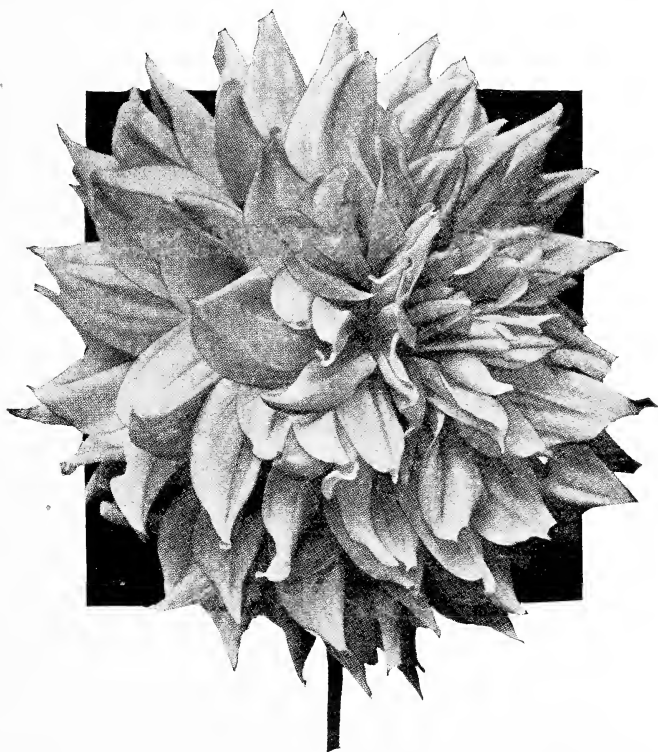
Decorative Dahlias—Jersey's Beauty

- JERSEY'S BEAUTY, Dec.**—Color, erosine pink. Free and early bloomer. Long stemmed. Full center. Medium size flower. Wonderful keeper when cut. A flower every dahlia lover should have. This flower always carries a ribbon at the show.75
- JERSEY'S MONARCH, Dec.**—Color, salmon, Full centered. Excellent stems..... .75
- JOY**—Silvery lavender.....\$2.00
- JUDGE LANGFORD**—Pansy purple. \$1.00
- JUDGE SHINN**—A deep chrome decorative having a yellow center. Flowers are large and of good depth on wiry, stiff stems. Large growing plant sometimes attaining a height of 8 or 9 feet..... \$4.00

KEMP'S VIOLET WONDER, Dec. —Best violet colored Dahlia to date, but not of solid color. Reverse has underlying tone of royal purple and lavender. Strong and vigorous growing plants, producing exceptional amount of good tubers. Flowers on long stiff stems standing off from foliage nicely.	\$4.00
KATHLEEN NORRIS, Dec. —One of the best rose pinks of today. Petals are broad and overlap each other with twisted tips. Blooms are held erect on long strong stems. It is a healthy grower, having dark green leathery foliage.	\$7.00
KING TUT —Glowing crimson.	\$1.00
LAVENDER GEM —Very thick flower of pure lavender.	\$3.50
LAVENDULA —Pleasing lavender, good stems	\$3.00
LILLIAN BALDWIN —Crushed strawberry.	\$1.50
M. MASSON —Good silvery pink, good bloomer.	.75
MRS. KENYON, Dec. —Large bloom of peach-pink with tips shade orchid. Long petals, slightly curled at end. Extra good stems and a very attractive, graceful bloom.	\$4.00
MARIPOSA —True pink.	.50
MARMION, Dec. —Color, pure golden yellow with bronze reverse and a deeper bronzy tone on the high center. Fine stems. Immense blooms.	\$1.50
MAY TROWER —Golden apricot.	\$3.00
METROPOLITAN —Red and gold.	\$3.00
MISCHIEF —Bi-colored, red and white.	\$1.00
MISS CALIFORNIA —Oriental fuschia.	\$1.00
MIZPAH —Russet bronze.	\$1.50
MORDELLA —Apricot, good.	.75

MR. E. LEEDHAM—A huge flower of great depth and diameter. Color is orange scarlet and does not burn in sunshine. Stems are long, carrying flower on top. Plant is tall growing and free blooming. \$3.50

MRS. CARL SALBACH, Dec.—Color, lilac rose shading to white at base of petals. Long and strong stems.50



Decorative Dahlias—Margaret Woodrow Wilson

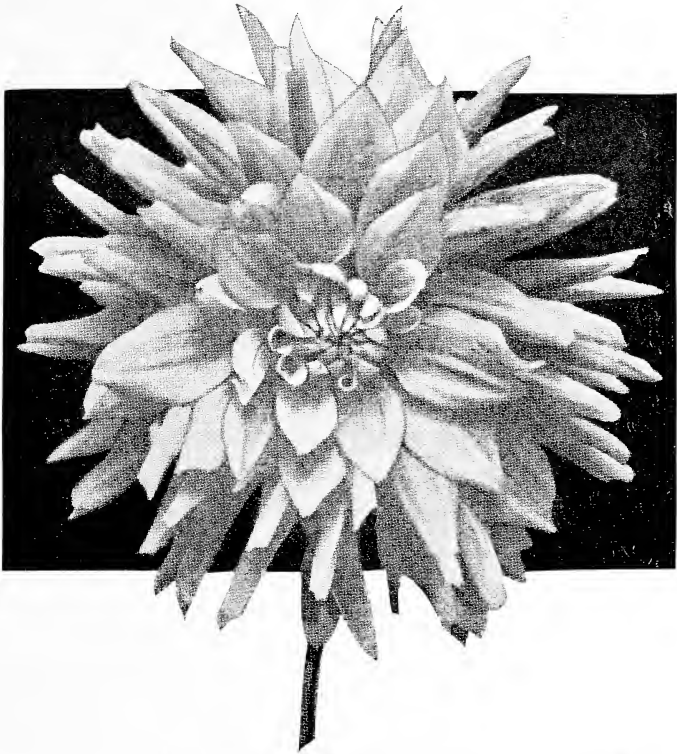
MARGARET WOODROW WILSON, Dec.—Color, an opalescent pink. Face of petal creamy white with phlox pink reverse. Broad petals, terminating into points. Exhibition type of flower. Of a large size and great beauty. Strong, upright stems. \$1.00

MRS. ED. TAYLOR —Cerise.....	\$2.00
MRS. E. MARTIN, Dec. —Color, mulberry with reverse of violet. Good stems. Profuse bloomer.....	.75
MRS. F. A. C. PERVINE —Lilac and pink.....	\$2.00
MRS. GEORGE SUGG —Cong pink, large flowers, good stems.....	\$1.50
MRS. GRACE LONGLEY —White and amethyst.....	\$2.50
MRS. I. De Ver WARNER, Dec. —Color Mauve-pink or orchid. Free bloomer. Very long and strong stems.....	.75
NANCY SUE LANG —A very large flowered variety. The color is bright red tipped gold. The plant is inclined to be dwarf, but stems are stiff.....	\$2.00
OYSTER BAY BEAUTY, Dec. —Color, rich dark red. Velvety sheen. Large flowers and long stems. Blooms from early season until frost. The flower is so placed on the top of the long stem that it can be arranged to the best advantage in a vase and they show their beauty in the garden.....	\$1.00
POP STEWART —Lilac pink, fine bloomer.....	.75
PORT WINE —Shade of Old Port Wine.....	\$1.50
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PRIDE OF STRATFORD —Cadmium orange ..	\$2.50
PRIMULA REX, Dec. —Very light cream or primrose yellow. Profuse bloomer. Very large flower.....	\$2.00
QUEEN MARIE —Shrimp pink.....	\$2.00
QUEEN OF THE GARDEN BEAUTIFUL, Dec. —Color, primrose yellow. Very large bloom. Strong stems. An occasional bloom has a green center, but it is so massive that we overlook the imperfection.....	\$1.50

RADIO, Dec. —Color, blood red, tipped yellow. Stems excellent. Good bloomer.	.50
REGAL, Dec. —Color, bronze, suffused with old rose, shading to gold at the center. Stem rigid. Early bloomer, and continues to flower profusely the entire season. Keeps large size throughout.	Net \$5.00
ROBERT LEEDS —Rich royal purple.	\$2.50
ROBERT SCOTT, Dec. —Color, bright apricot yellow with shades of rose. Flowers are large and deep. Good form. Excellent stems. Bush of stocky growth. Wonderful bloomer. We have cut as many as twelve blooms at one time off one bush.	\$1.50
ROMAN EAGLE, Dec. —Color, brilliant bur- nish copper. Stiff stems. Profuse bloomer.	\$1.00
ROSA NELL —Tyrian rose.	.35
ROSE FALLON, Dec. —Color, deep old gold. Straight, stiff and strong stems. Very large blooms.	.75
ROSE M. FRIDOLIN —Maroon.	\$1.50
RUTH HOTTEL, Dec. —Color, a good one- toned cerise. Very profuse bloomer. Flowers large. Rigid stems. Low growing plant.	\$1.50
SAGAMORE, Dec. —Color, bright amber-gold shaded with warm salmon rose and orange buff. Strong, erect stems. Good keeping qual- ities.	.75
SALBACH'S WHITE —Good white.	\$2.00
SANHICAN'S GOLD —Orange yellow.	\$1.00
SANHICAN'S NYMPH —Primrose yellow.	\$2.00
SANHICAN'S PEACH —Peach pink.	\$2.00
SEDRO WOOLLEY —Old rose and cream tan	\$1.00
SENORITA —Dark red.	.35
SHEILA WARD —Yellow, tipped white.	\$3.00
SHIRLEY E. SHATTUCK —Lavender.	\$4.00
SNOWDRIFT, Dec. —Color, pure white. Large blooms. Broad, flat, waxy petals. Has good stems by disbudding. Good bloomer. Easy to grow.	.35

SPOTSWOOD BEAUTY —Light pink.....	\$3.00
SULTANA —Tan with rose and mulberry.....	\$1.50
TANFORAN —Cherry red, profuse bloomer.....	.50
THE EMPEROR —Maroon purple.....	.75
THE LEMONADE, Dec. —Color, bright lemon yellow. Stiff, strong stems. Free bloomer.....	\$2.00
THE TELEGRAM, Dec. —Color, orange tipped white. Large flower. Medium stems. Good bloomer.....	\$1.00
TOP NOTCH, Dec. —Color, creamy white. Large flower. Stiff stems.....	\$1.50
TRENTONIAN, Dec. —Color, blending of old gold, amber and coppery bronze with center of reddish bronze. Flowers have good lasting qualities.....	.50
VALENTINO —Salmon pink.....	\$4.50
WALDEHEIM SUNSHINE —A peacock introduction that cannot be beat. A giant decorative true deep yellow, which shown under artificial light, robs none of its rich color from it. Stems are long and stiff, holding the twisted petaled flowers at just the proper angle. Truly a prize winner.Net...	\$4.00
WATCHUNG SUNRISE, Dec. —Color, gold suffused pink. Flowers are very large when developed. Strong, erect stems. Petals somewhat curled or twisted.....	\$4.50
WORLD'S BEST WHITE, Dec. —Color, pure white. Stiff stems. Very large flower. Is bound to be in great demand the coming season. Many growers proclaim it the best white decorative dahlia on the market.....	\$1.50
WHITE EMPRESS, Dec. —One of the latest and best white introduced. It is a strong, healthy grower with flowers held well above the foliage on strong stems.....Net ..	\$6.00
YELLOW PRINCESS, Dec. —One of the largest and best yellows. Good foliage and strong stems.	\$3.50

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ALEXANDER POPE —Deep Crimson	\$1.00
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AMBASSADOR —Yellow, shaded pink.50
ANDREAS HOFER —Cream and pink.	\$1.00
BEATRICE'S PINK BEAUTY —Rich silver pink.	\$2.50
CIGARETTE —Cream white, splotted scarlet ..	.75
CLAIRE WINDSOR —A good tall white.	\$1.00
COL. CHAS. A. LINDBERGH —"Du Barry" and ivory.	\$3.00
EAGLE ROCK BEAUTY —Cream and pink.	\$1.50
EDNA FERBER —Coral and old gold.	\$3.00
ELSIE DANIELS —Pale orchid with white center.75

ELITE GEM —Spinel pink and yellow.....	.50
ESTHER HUNT —Oriental orange, good cut flower.....	.75
FARNCOT —Aster purple, tipped white.....	\$1.00
FAY LANPHIER —Yellow.....	\$1.50
FRANCIS LOBDELL —Pink with white center.....	.50
GALATEA, Cactus —Soft yellow. Good bloomer and excellent stems.....	.50
INSULINDE —Saffron yellow, shaded russett orange.....	.75
JEAN HARE, Hy. Cactus —A strikingly attractive flower; beautiful golden yellow.....	\$2.00
KING SOLOMON, Hy. Cactus —Color, orange buff with iridescent sheen. Curled and twisted petals. Stems extra fine.....	\$1.00
MAID MARIAN —Rose pink.....	\$1.50
MARIPOSA —True pink.....	.50
MISS AMERICA —Orange buff.....	\$1.00
MY MARYLAND, Hy. Cactus —Color, rich bright pink, each tipped with ivory. Large flowers. Strong stems.....	Net \$4.00
NAGLES RHOEM —Orchid pink.....	\$1.50
OPHIR —Golden bronze, tipped gold.....	\$1.00
PAPILLION, Hy. Cactus —Color, old rose illuminated with golden lights. A mammoth flower which is much in demand.....	.50
ROYCROFT —Cinnamon buff.....	.50
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GANNYMEDE —Fawn.....	.25
CATHERINE —Clear yellow.....	.25
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ORANGE BEAUTY —Orange.....	.25
DARKEST OF ALL —Maroon.....	.25
LITTLE BEAUTY —Pink.....	.50
VIVID —Scarlet.....	.25
AUTUMN —Buff.....	.25
LITTLE DAVID —Lemon yellow.....	.25

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